

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 01-1554-F)

PATENT

In re Application of: Varnum, et al.)	
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Serial No.: 10/656,769)	Before the Examiner: Skelding, Z.
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Filed: September 5, 2003)	Group Art Unit: 1644
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For: Therapeutic Human Anti-IL-1R1)	Confirmation No.: 8860
Monoclonal Antibody)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant requests a Three-Month Extension of Time to respond to the Official Action mailed March 13, 2007. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the amount of \$1,020.00 for an Extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: September 13, 2007

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